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Lions pride

Minden's main street burst with colour on Saturday when Lions

from across the district started their weekend convention with a parade. It was the Minden club's turn to host the festivities. For more photos see page 14.

Assessment up, tax rate down in Minden Hills

by SHERYL LOUCKS
Times Staff

Taxes are going to be higher in Minden Hills thanks to a 14.7 per cent increase in assessment values but the blow will be cushioned by a 2.3 per cent decrease in the general municipal residential tax rate and a 10 per cent decrease in the education tax rate.

The total tax rate then, including the county portion, will 4.4 per cent lower than last year's, which will still give the municipality \$632,364 more revenue in taxation. The total budget is \$11 million.

Reeve Ross Rigney says his goal was to continue to "grow the budget" while still giving a tax

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John Latimer obituary

Hail to the Chief

by ERIN TENNANT
Times Staff

John Robert Latimer, a.k.a. "Chief", the loving spirit behind Minden's Kilcoo Camp and long-time campaigner for youth education, died of cancer on Tuesday at Toronto's Princess Margaret Hospital. He was 72.

He had been afflicted with the illness for three months.

Minden council held one minute's silence in his memory and passed a motion of condolence to Latimer's family on Thursday.

Born in 1930 to civil servant Larry Latimer and wife Zetta, John grew up in Toronto.

John's fondness and zeal for youth programs led him to belong to a string of camping associations and youth charities. His credits

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Last year's surplus helps lower tax burden

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rate decrease. However, he also added the new assessment is not a windfall because properties should be taxed what they're worth.

Peter Oyler, councillor and finance committee chairman, says he heard a message loud and clear from ratepayers who they did not want to see the cost of increased municipal spending put on the backs of residents.

Oyler says he made a motion, that carried, to not use all of the possible assessment increase but to pay some of the expense with up to \$200,000 from last year's surplus - an amount that equals approximately two-thirds of that surplus. He said there should always be at least 15 per cent of the total operating budget in the working capital reserve and that was how he decided how much of the

surplus the municipality could afford to spend.

What the tax rate decrease roughly translates into, Oyler says, is approximately \$100 less in taxes per \$200,000 worth of assessment.

"I'm not going to argue that \$100 is a great deal of money but it's the principle that it's better in their pocket than ours," says Oyler.

A few non-discretionary spending increases prevented the savings from being greater, says Oyler. There was a 17 per cent insurance hike the industry blames on the 9/11 terrorist attacks in 2001. The municipality had not been required to make payments to the Ontario Municipal Employee Retirement System for the last three years but that holiday was removed this year, requiring a partial payment.

Another enormous expense is for landfill monitoring and reporting, which required an 11.5 per cent increase. Oyler said there has been a raft of new regulations requiring more frequent landfill covering and expensive monitoring of leachate, wells and environmental concerns.

"Pardon the pun but landfills are going to be a bottomless pit. We need to change management of them soon to the upper level," says Oyler.

Despite these increases, Rigney says the balanced budget with its tax rate decrease is a compliment to councillors and staff who worked hard at it. Rigney is particularly happy to see a continuation of investment into the roads and bridge infrastructure program - now into its second year.

"We're going to continue to rebuild roads, make a better quality road, re-culvert, properly ditch them and crown layer them for a longer life," says Rigney.

Another project he is anxious to see go forward is the expansion of the Agnes Jamieson Gallery, museum and library, now dubbed the cultural centre addition. He says money has been set aside for the \$153,000 expense line coupled with government grants for this year.

Mary Jane Irwin, Minden's treasurer, says aside from the addition there are no significant budget expense changes. Wages will stay the same despite a year of high turnover.

One significant change Minden village ratepayers will notice is the new water and sewer rates. The municipality used readings from meters installed last year to set this year's rate. Residents will pay a flat rate of \$315 for sewage and \$200 for water. Commercial properties will have the same minimum flat rates but will then be charged an additional \$1.30 per cubic meter of water in excess of 150 cubic meters and for sewage an additional \$1.40 per cubic meter in excess of 222 cubic meters.

Irwin says fortunately for some customers such as Hyland Crest, who will have a "humungous increase", a cap has been put on so they will pay not more than 25 per cent of what they paid in 2002.

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Shot down four times, WW II pilot honoured for his heroics

by JERRY GROZELLE
Times Staff

A special celebration was held at the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 636 in Minden recently to honour Clem Reng. The Minden resident will celebrate his 90th birthday later this year, but it isn't his advanced age that his friends and family gathered to celebrate.

The Legion was an appropriate place to honour Reng, since he made a significant contribution to the war effort during World War II.

Reng joined the Polish Air Force in 1933 and he was one of the first pilots called to service when war was declared against Germany in 1939. His plane was shot down over Germany and he was taken prisoner. After escaping, he made his way to Beirut and flew briefly for the French Air Force before joining Britain's Royal Air Force. Three more times he was either shot down and at times forced to limp back to his base with the fuselage of his bomber riddled with bullet holes. His Wellington bomber went down in the North Sea, where he and his crew spent several hours adrift in a life raft before being rescued and returned to Britain to fly for the RAF again.

During the time he served with the RAF, Reng flew both Wellington and Lancaster bombers. In total, serving under three different flags, he flew 62 missions. He was the first of the Polish fliers to be decorated with the highest military medal, equal to Britain's Victoria Cross. "You can't get anything better than that," he said, "You have to earn it on the battlefield during the war."

Later in the war, Reng became a trainer. He met Margaret Roughton at a dance while he was in England, flying for the RAF. They were married before the war ended. "She was my war bride," Reng said. Margaret died on their 55th anniversary five years ago.

Clem and Margaret Reng moved to Canada in 1985 to be closer to their daughter Sonya. Clem still lives in



Jerry Grozelle/TIMES

With a deep sense of pride, Clem Reng of Lutterworth Estates, displays the special certificate he received from Pope John Paul II in recognition of his accomplishments as a pilot in world War II.

Hunter Creek Estates His son Paul is also a Minden resident.

The ceremony at Minden's Legion saw Reng presented with, among other things, a special certificate from Pope

John Paul II in recognition of his accomplishments. The certificate bears a portrait of the Pontiff. The group helping celebrate the occasion included officials from the Polish Canadian Air Force Association.



Clem Reng, seated right, was honoured at a special ceremony at the Minden Legion recently. He is seen here with some of those who took part in the celebration, including event organizer Christina Wereszczakowski, who is kneeling beside him. Standing, left to right, are: Phil Graham, Tony Samarillo, Edwarda Fijal, Marcelli Fijal, M. Ostrowski, an unidentified woman, Jan Gasztold and Lis Jurek.

Lofty Pines rezoning goes ahead despite neighbours' protests

by SHERYL LOUCKS
Times Staff

After two years of debate the Lofty Pines time-share development on Lake Kashagawigamog has received zoning approval. The lot will be rezoned from a mix of tourist commercial and rural to tourist commercial.

Jacque Tschekalin, Minden Hills planner, informed council on Thursday that the Ministry of the Environment is satisfied the four proposed time-share buildings will not cause additional nutrient loading in the lake. She says the proposal meets the intent of the zoning and official plans of the municipality.

A condition of the rezoning bylaw is that the lot will be subject to site plan agreement. Tschekalin explained the agreement is in a draft state.

Councillor Peter Oyler, who is also the Lake Kashagawigamog Organization's president, says he could support the rezoning but not the site plan agreement

unless changes were made to the scope and size of the buildings and the setbacks. Oyler insisted he supports Lofty Pines owner Allan Bertrand's right to develop the property and understands that Bertrand's choice of location for the new buildings is to protect existing forests, but says he feels those goals can be accomplished with fine-tuning of the site plan agreement.

Ken Sinclair is not so sure. Sinclair is a neighbour and represents approximately 16 other cottagers that share a road with Lofty Pines. Sinclair says they are disappointed council chose to rezone the property.

He says they believe there are too many buildings proposed for the lot, are not happy about the year round increase in usage of the property, or the proposed setbacks. Sinclair and his group will be meeting again with the Bertrands and the planner to discuss the site plan on April 29. Council may be passing the site plan agreement as early as May 8.

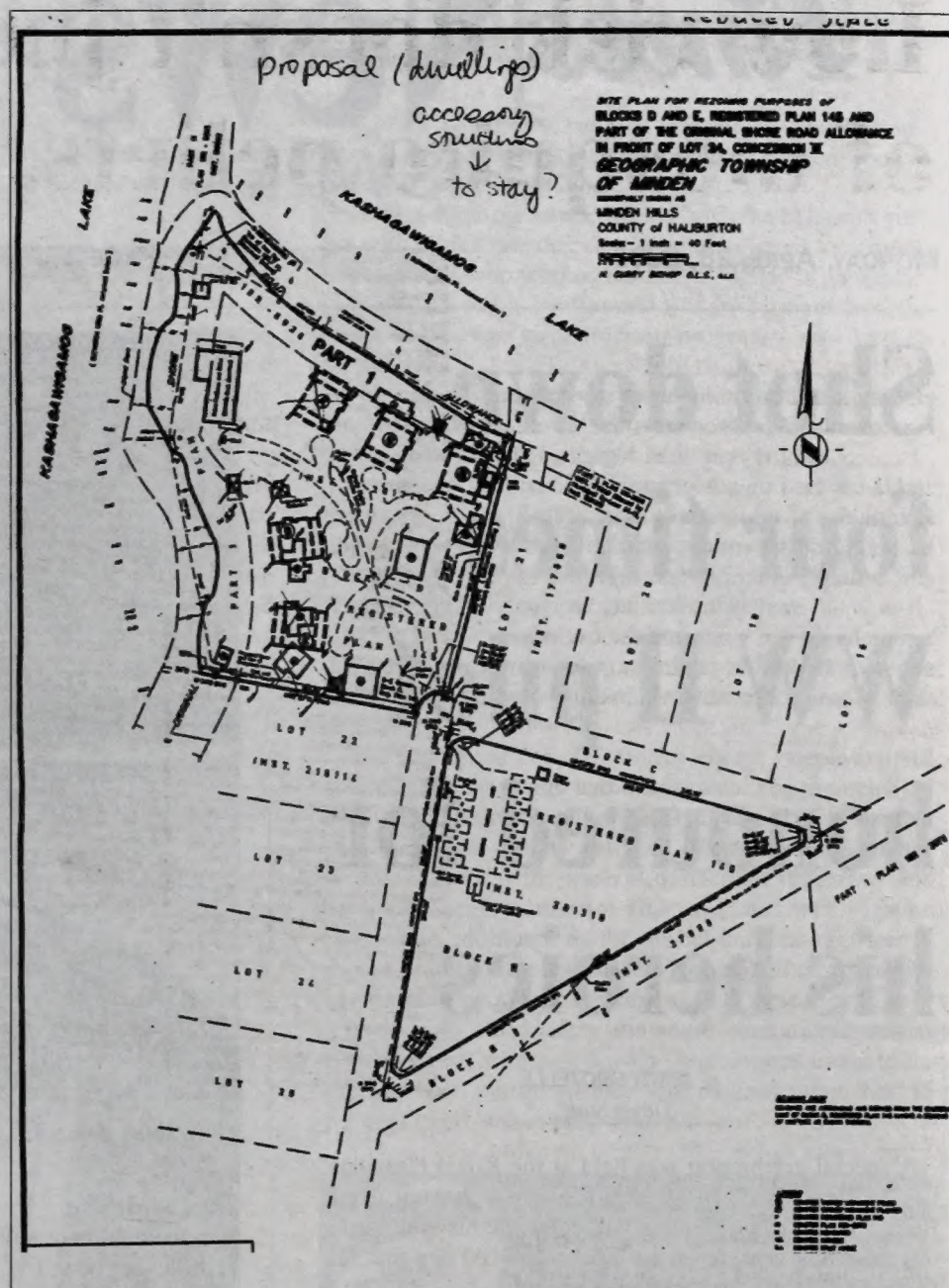
Youths apologize for throwing eggs in Minden

Officers from the Haliburton Highlands Detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police have investigated numerous incidents in Minden of youths throwing eggs. Several youths were identified.

The youths have written letters of apol-

ogy to the council of Minden Hills. Charges have not been laid in accordance with the new Youth Criminal Justice Act.

The OPP reminds the public that incidents such as these could result in criminal charges.



This development plan illustrates four large new time-share units that will take the place of nine cabins at the Lofty Pines' lot on South Lake Kashagawigamog Road

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Low risk doesn't justify cost of mosquito pellets, reeves say

by ERIN TENNANT
Times Staff

Haliburton's municipal councils are unlikely to use larvicide pellets to stem the impact of the West Nile virus this summer.

The reeves of Dysart et al, Minden Hills, Highlands East and Algonquin Highlands all told the *Minden Times* last week that the pesticide treatment was not on any public safety agenda at this stage.

It is believed that the low health risk to the county does not warrant the use of pellets, which kill mosquito larvae living inside storm water catch drains and other standing water sources where mosquitoes like to breed.

"There's absolutely no sign that anyone has been affected [with WNV], and when that does happen we'll look into it further," said Minden Hills Reeve, Ross Rigney, echoing the views of his peers.

The suggested larvicide program would involve three treatments per year for each basin at a cost of \$4 per treatment. The provincial government would subsidise half of all costs.

The four reeves indicated that they would further address the use of larvicide at upcoming council meetings and that councils could police the removal of still water at private land fill sites.

"We'll be vigilant as far as possible," said Highlands East Reeve Keith Tallman.

The comments follow Wednesday's county council meeting where the medical officer of the District Health Unit, Dr Alex



Dr. Alex Hukowich advised against using the pesticide.

Hukowich, advised against using the pesticide - even though the treatment will appear in large urban centres like Toronto.

Hukowich said that the human-population area under the Haliburton Kawartha

Pine Ridge Health Unit umbrella was at minimal a risk to the virus.

But he warned that the rate of WNV cases among humans in the district was "a big unknown" and could vary between half a dozen and two dozen.

"It's unreasonable to expect that there will be no cases this summer."

Educating the public on how to avoid being bitten by infected mosquitoes would be a priority for the Health Unit, he said. Safety steps include the use of mosquito repellent at evening and daybreak when mosquitoes are most active, chlorinating pools and rain barrels, and removing all standing water from around the home.

"In all practicality, we're not going to reduce the risk to zero," said Hukowich.

Last summer, dead crow sightings signaled that WNV had infected the county's bird population.

However, the virus cannot be transmitted from bird-to-person, or from person-to-person. Only a mosquito which has contracted the virus from feeding on the blood of an infected bird may pass the virus to a human.

The chances of humans developing a severe illness once infected are very slim. Only one in 150 carriers will suffer from severe symptoms such as high fever, headache, muscle weakness, paralysis or coma, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta, USA.

A vaccine is yet to be made available.

Smoking ban prompts four to butt out

by MARTHA PERKINS
Times Staff

Four roads department employees quit smoking last month after county council passed a bylaw which forbids smoking in any county workplace - including roads trucks.

Algonquin Highlands Reeve Eleanor Harrison said that's one of the main arguments in favour of imposing a smoking ban throughout the Highlands.

She's encouraging county council to make a decision about the ban but fellow politicians aren't as eager to press forward.

Meanwhile, the health unit's chief medical officer of health says enforcement should not be a barrier to adopting the bylaw.

"Canadians tend to be reasonably law-abiding," Dr. Alex Hukowich said. When a bylaw is first put in place, "sometimes there's a flurry of trouble but generally it's not a big issue..."

"Usually there's huffing and puffing at the beginning but then people just get on with it."

Another supporter of the smoking ban is Highlands East Deputy-reeve Chuck Viner.

"We're talking about SARS and the West Nile virus yet smoking will likely kill far more people than these two diseases combined," he said.

"It's not 'likely' - it is killing more people," Hukowich responded.

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County passes budget, changes name of 121

by **SHERYL LOUCKS**
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Tourism map includes village close-ups

by MARTHA PERKINS
Times Staff

The map is here!

June Phillips was "thrilled" to be able to present county council with the new tourism map last Wednesday.

Phillips, who works in the county's road department, is a cartographic technician and GIS specialist. Ever since she arrived at the county three years ago, she's been dreaming of producing a better map and, just as importantly, having a digitally-based map at the county's disposal. By having the information stored electronically, the map can serve a variety of purposes especially now that 911 will soon be introduced.

The map will be an important marketing tool for the Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce. Carol Moffatt, who spearheaded the project, says there's constant demand for a good county map.

This version, unlike the one produced

by Sir Sandford Fleming College, has village maps on the back of the county map.

"It has all the information the travelling public needs," Moffatt says, adding that she was "giddy with excitement" to have the 50,000 copies of the map finally produced.

Much of the information was provided by the Ministry of Natural Resources, but Phillips said it was not as good as first expected, extending the life of the project. The county's commitment was to allow her to spend time on the project and to cover the initial printing costs. The county will recoup the cost of the map through its sale. However, under the agreement with the MNR, the map cannot be sold for a profit. That keeps its price down to \$1, GST included.

"It looks like it's worth a twoonie," Dysart Reeve Murray Fearrey said.

The map will initially be available at the Chamber office in Minden as well as all township offices.



Martha Perkins/TIMES

Cartographer June Phillips, who works for the county roads department, did most of the work on the new tourism map.



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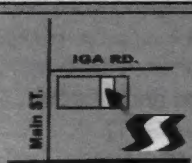
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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Making war

We could all learn from the experiences of Clem Reng of Minden. The 89 year-old World War II pilot could tell you first hand about the ravages of war. A member of the Polish Air Force beginning in 1933, he was among the first to be called to service when Germany invaded his homeland in 1939.

In spite of being shot down over Germany and spending some time as a prisoner of war (POW), he managed to escape and returned to the fight, briefly with the French Air Force and then with Britain's Royal Air Force (RAF).

The first of four times he was shot down, he was captured. Being born in Germany and emigrating to Poland as a child, he was offered the option of renouncing his family's adopted homeland and joining forces with the German Luftwaffe. He refused and suffered indignities for his decision.

The memories of war can be devastating and cause permanent psychological damage to some. But Clem Reng is a survivor. Any scars he has suffered, he hides well. Although he admitted in a 1989 interview to having nightmares, he has adjusted well to the nightmares from a war that ended almost 60 years ago. It would be difficult to find a nicer individual than Clem Reng. Even with limited knowledge of the man, it's evident he's down to earth and unpretentious. He had a job to do during WWII and he did it to the best of his ability. He defended his homeland and, at the same time, the rest of the Allies. For his effort, he received the Polish equivalent of the Victoria Cross, his country's highest military honour.

Flying Wellington and Lancaster bombers over enemy territory must have been a hair-raising experience. Being shot down had to be terrifying. There is no question war is hell.

At the time, Clem Reng and his comrades from the Allied Nations were fighting to preserve freedom in Europe. Freedom from what is considered the warped ideology of a madman.

The idea of armed conflict is frightening for most of us. Avoiding armed conflict at all cost may seem to be a noble cause at first glance. But where would we be now – how "free" would we be if the Allies hadn't taken up arms against the oppressors. It's something we can't gauge. It is impossible to know what the world would be like now if the Allied Nations had postponed the decision to take action. History tells us that sanctions have a limited effect on those who are bent on the single-minded pursuit of power.

Remembrance Day may be several months away, but it's never a bad time to reflect on the sacrifices so many men and women made so we can express our opinions without worrying about whether or not the world leaders of the day will censure us, or worse.

Aggression, unfortunately, at times, must be met with aggression.

The opposition to the invasion of Afghanistan and Iraq has been very vocal and determined. The fact that we have the right to voice our opinions is something that most of us take for granted. We may also take for granted the fact that people like Clem Reng were willing to risk their lives so long ago to preserve our freedom of expression.

Whether or not you agree with the "War on Terrorism" you have to respect those who are willing to stand up and fight for the things in which they strongly believe.

We may never know if the conflict in the Middle East has, or will, prevent some future conflict of catastrophic proportions. We can only hope that the sacrifices made now and in the past are of benefit to our future well-being.

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IMAGES OF THE HIGHLANDS

Meltwaters

Photo by DARREN LUM/Times

TO THE EDITOR

Times readers write

Music by the Gull appreciated

To the Editor:

It has come to my attention that the Minden Business group is not meeting now. I want to let you know how much I enjoy "Music by the Gull" and hope that it will continue.

Kathleen Millard,
Minden

I Love It

I love it! "Music by the Gull", by the bridge in Minden, is so pleasant and peaceful.

The warm sun on my back is comforting. The reflected picture of pink stucco buildings, large leafy trees and a moving colourful kaleidoscope of people as they come and go is beautiful, almost majestic.

I call it my river, as I sit in the green and white macramé chair, while keeping

time to the music and singing along when I can.

Families with toddlers run back and forth, defying the odds of falling in the water. Young boys balance walk along the railway ties of the dock on the south side, others push bikes along the top of the hill so they won't block anyone's view of the stage. Elderly couples park in their cars close to the barriers, which block off the road from the post office to the bridge. Couples dance on the street or the dock making a display for those watching.

Musicians play violins, guitars; a brass quartet plays on a pontoon boat, choirs, men and women sing in sunshine and rain while boys swim in the strong current, diving and taunting each other to be more daring as boats anchor on the shore.

How lucky we are to gather with friends and neighbours close to home, and enjoy entertainment on a summer's eve.

Music and location – I am so impressed.

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IN OTHER WORDS

Columnists and Letters to the Editor

Siren song

Sometimes people can be so unreasonable. Take the case of Vladimir R. of Berlin, Germany. Vlad is like many 73 year old men. He's married, set in his ways and perhaps even a little hard of hearing. But are those any reasons to confiscate his air raid siren?

Well, apparently the local police thought so.

It seems the old fellow had been using the 220-volt roof top model siren to stun his wife into silence whenever he felt he had something more important to say, which was quite often according to the neighbours.

Rosina, Vladimir's wife of 32 years, had grown accustomed to this quaint little idiosyncrasy over the years. She'd just yell over the siren as if it was the most natural thing in the world. She'd be yelling, Vlad would be running the siren, and every person in the neighbourhood would be running for cover. Where's the crime?

Now I'll grant you that an air raid siren might be a bit on the extreme side but, at

a time when most men his age would simply pretend to be asleep, Vlad was making an open and honest effort to communicate some very deep emotions.

Hey, isn't that what women want?

Of course, just when a fellow does what is asked of him, they go and change the rules again. Go figure.

Personally, I think it's unfair. I'm guessing that poor Vlad is the painfully shy type who can't always find the right words to say exactly what he means — a tortured poet, no doubt. Maybe no one ever showed him how to communicate in more subtle ways, like with a tuba or kettle-drum. Because of this, he poured his heart out in the only way he knew how - with a humble air raid siren.

Unpretentious, yes, but that siren made him unique. It gave him a voice. And now we've taken that from him.



BEYOND 35

Steve Galea

It's not like he used it all the time. No, he merely unleashed its ear-rending, high-decibel rebuttal on rare occasions to stun Rosina into submission whenever she was nagging or on the verge of making a valid point.

Is that so wrong? It's not like he used it frivolously or for evil purpose.

With that siren by his side, arguments were few; Rosina thought twice about approaching Vlad for petty matters such as appendicitis. It was the secret

of their success for thirty-two loving years. And now it's gone. Gone.

Now the couple sits in silence, reminiscing about the good old days

and smiling whenever they hear the noise of passing fire trucks or ambulances.

Theirs is a changing world.

But I say this confiscation hurts us all.

When a man can't tell his wife the way he feels the institution of marriage is doomed.

Many will argue that he should have learned to talk to his wife without using that siren as a crutch. Well, I for one, think that this expectation is just a little too simplistic. It's not a perfect world. Some of us need marital aids - like the siren, I mean.

That sweet siren wasn't just an industrial-strength, noise-making device. No, it was the winged chariot that allowed Vlad's tormented soul to bridge the vast chasm between husband and wife. It brought them together, if only for two to three minutes an hour when she would stuff socks in her ears and desperately run to him. It said, "I need you darling. Read my lips. Now!" or "Any idea where the channel changer is?" Its nuances were varied and rich, I suspect.

Essentially though, its use was a romantic gesture from a bygone era. If you ask me, the world could use a few more air raid sirens — my goose call just ain't doing the trick.

Some good news for a change

What this world needs is a really good five cent-cigar. An otherwise forgettable American politician by the name of Thomas Riley Marshall divested himself of that opinion while presiding over the U.S. Senate about a century ago.

Thomas Riley Marshall was wrong. If there's one thing this tormented, overburdened and stress-jangled planet does not need right now, it's a cheap smoke. Aside from stinking up the joint, cigars are carcinogenic, air-polluting and a sure-fire way to ugly up your image. Don't cigar smokers realize how much they look like Ed the Sock?

No, what the world really needs right now is some good news. News that doesn't include details of government flip-flopping, troop deployments, skyrocketing gas prices and nose-diving stock markets.

And I've found some. Tiny, perfect, good-news stories tucked in amongst stark datelines like Basra and Baghdad; in between stories of carpet bombings and rogue viruses.

Such as? Well, such as the heart-warming story of Bird, a cockatoo who used to roost in a cage in Dallas, Texas. Used to,

because, alas, Bird is no more. He went to his fate protecting his master, Kevin Butler, from a murderer.

Well — a cockatoo? It was no contest. After killing the bird's owner, the murderer gave the courageous cockatoo a lethal swat and Bird fluttered earthward to his reward.

But not before flying in the face of the murderer and giving him a valiant peck upside the head. The killer wiped the blood from his temple then turned off a light switch in the house, leaving a smear of his DNA for the police. The cops picked up the murderer. And gave Bird a hero's funeral.

Speaking of heroes, let's have a 21-gun salute for Matthew

Thompson. He's one of a legion of faceless civil servants toiling in the nether reaches of the Department of Work and Pensions in Manchester, England.

Faceless...but also, gloriously, tieless. Matthew and all his colleagues got a directive last year dictating that he and all other

male employees must henceforth wear neckties while on the job. Matthew looked around and saw his distaff colleagues toggled out in sweaters, blouses, tank tops and T shirts and said to himself "What the

hey?" He sued his own boss, (the UK government) claiming sexual discrimination — and won. The new dress code was dropped and guys don't have to wear ties to the office any more.

Matthew Thompson may call it a victory against of sex discrimination. I call it a stunning blow against one of the most ridiculous affectations of male fashion since spats.

And a good-news story out of Italy, where the courts last

week granted a woman a divorce on the grounds of... an interfering mother-in-law. "My husband was his mother's slave" she told the court. "He would hang on her every word while she criticized everything about me, my makeup, my diet, the way I was bringing up my daughter."



ARTHUR BLACK

Columnist

Libraries, museums not receiving adequate funding

To the Editor:

Recreation, education, arts and culture, politics — strange bedfellows? Let's hope not, so that all may reap the rewards of the natural beauty offered by the Highlands.

Whenever our family has wanted to visit an area, or research information about a new place to move, we have contacted the newspapers. Congratulations to the *Echo/Times* teams on being recognized once again for their superb work.

As well, the local libraries, museums, and Chamber of Commerce are a wealth of information. These all serve an area well, and none should be neglected. A

balanced budget should include the needs of all for a healthy community.

Speaking of health, we also try to establish contact with services offered in an area, before relocating. A varied spiritual choice, which the Highlands offers, is a welcome sign, as well.

Sadly, it is our experience and observation, especially here, that the libraries and museums are not adequately funded to meet the needs of the area; so that can be undermining to the economy and well-being of residents and visitors. There is a wealth of varied heritage in this area.

Hopefully, it will not continue to be neglected, and last forever as a valuable resource to not only the present, but future generations.

Again, our experience and observation is that all the library branches are needed. Many people have

restrictions due to age, capacity and means to travel even short distances, and very limited finances, so that local branches with inter-branch and inter-library loan available throughout the region, are a much needed asset to the residents and visitors.

Hopefully, we can all truly reap the

rewards through varied recreational, educational, and arts and cultural choices supported by these voted into political offices that will serve those needs.

My grandparents often took me to the museum and with them on weekly trips to the farmer's market, then the library. My father taught me at an early age to read all the newspaper to know the true value and heart of a community; so I will look forward to future coverage of the Highlands by the *Echo/Times* staff.

L. Deadman,
Woodstock/
West Guilford

MORE LETTERS

Times readers write

The Minden Times SPORTS



Small Fry has Big Dreams

14-year-old Minden teen has sights on world championships... page 15

Assistant coach Meredith Brown talks the girls through the day's drills at the start of practice a few days before they play their first game against the Fenelon Falls Falcons in Lindsay on April 30.

Darren Lum/TIMES



Red Hawks strike up another season

HHSS girls soccer teams prepare for matches against Fenelon Falls this week

by **DARREN LUM**
Times Staff

The Red Hawks junior girls soccer team is optimistic about their season kicking off this week against the Fenelon Falls Falcons in Lindsay.

Assistant coach Meredith Brown, a former Red Hawks soccer player helping

with the team, said, "They'll do really well [this season]. They all have heart."

Despite the team being very young, Brown adds every member is skilled, but most of the team has yet to play together.

Most positions are still open with the exception of Kristen Stackhouse who appears ready to reclaim her goaltending duties.

Also returning to the junior ranks for one more year is Kerry Heming, Kim Barnhart, Erin Beggs, Paula Dobson and Kristen Stackhouse. The team is currently listing 19 players and will only have four practices prior to their first game.

Senior soccer

The senior women's team is also preparing for their first game against the Fenelon Falls Falcons on April 30.

With the junior graduates of Kourtney

Matysek, Jillian Brown, Abby Hagerman, Nicole Manary, Meghan Shaw and Debbie Ray moving up to the senior ranks, the team is expected to be an enthusiastic group.

The team's roster currently has 21 players and has yet to name a captain. Aside from a few practices, the team, divided into two squads—team 1 and team 2—competed in two indoor tournaments. Team 1 won two games while Team 2 didn't win any games.

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Deadline for moose tag draw extended

The deadline for the adult moose validation tag draw has been extended this year to Monday, June 2. The deadline was extended to ensure hunters have ample opportunity to apply for the draw after they receive notice of 2003 moose quotas in May.

The deadline for paper applications to reach the Ministry of natural Resources is 5:00 p.m., Monday, June 2. A paper draw application is provided when the hunter purchases a moose licence from a licence issuer.

The most convenient way to purchase a moose licence and apply to the draw is by using the toll-free, automated telephone system at 1-800-288-1155.

Hunters who purchased a moose licence in 2001 or 2002 will be mailed a Moose Hunter Fact Sheet in May. The fact sheet will contain the moose tag quotas and the guaranteed group sizes for 2003, as well as other useful information. The fact sheet is available at <http://www.mnr.gov.on.ca/MNR/pubs/pubmenu.html>, for 2003 applicants.

CARNVARVON LANES

Tuesday Afternoon League April 22

High average: Ken Thompson 213; Mona Benn 203

High single: Ken Thompson 283; Mona Benn 224

High single (handicap): Robert McIvor 317; Hilda Rhynold 247

High triple: Robert McIvor 732; Mona Benn 575

High triple (handicap): Robert McIvor 846; Mona Benn 629

Wednesday Afternoon League April 23

High average: Ken Thompson 217; Mona Benn 194

High single: Robert Terro 247; Jean Pugh 237

High single (handicap): Robert Terro 304; Jean Pugh 274

High triple: Ed McGrath 615; Mona Benn 635

High triple (handicap): Ed McGrath 783;

Mona Benn 710

Thursday Afternoon League April 24

High average: Ken Thompson 220; Josie Cheesman 180

High single: Ken Thompson 251; Bernice Gilles 209

High single (handicap): Bob Mcmath 295; Bernice Gilles 275

High triple: Ken Thompson 660; Josie Cheesman 545

High triple (handicap): Bob Mcmath 774; Bernice Gilles 727

Thursday Afternoon League April 17

High average: Ken Thompson 212; Bernice Gilles 192

High single: Ken Thompson 249; Sharon Barnhart 238

High single (handicap): Bill Hogg 267; Sharon Barnhart 307

High triple: Ken Thompson 637; Bernice Gilles 577

High triple (handicap): Bill Hogg 792; Bernice Gilles 775



Darren Lum/TIMES

Hawk flight

HHSS Midget athlete Zach Joanu leads Andrew Sachs in a 400 m training run a week before the Bay of Quinte Invitational on May 3. Joanu is expecting to compete at the invitational and hopes to compete in the following events: relay, discus, shot put and the 400 metres. Sachs is unsure of the invitational, but is training for the 400 metres, and high jump events.

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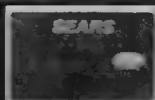
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From sketch to masterpiece: a mummer's tale

by ERIN TENNANT
Times Staff

Newfoundland's unsung outpost communities are memorialised in an enthralling print exhibition in Minden about one artist's technical mastery over his craft.

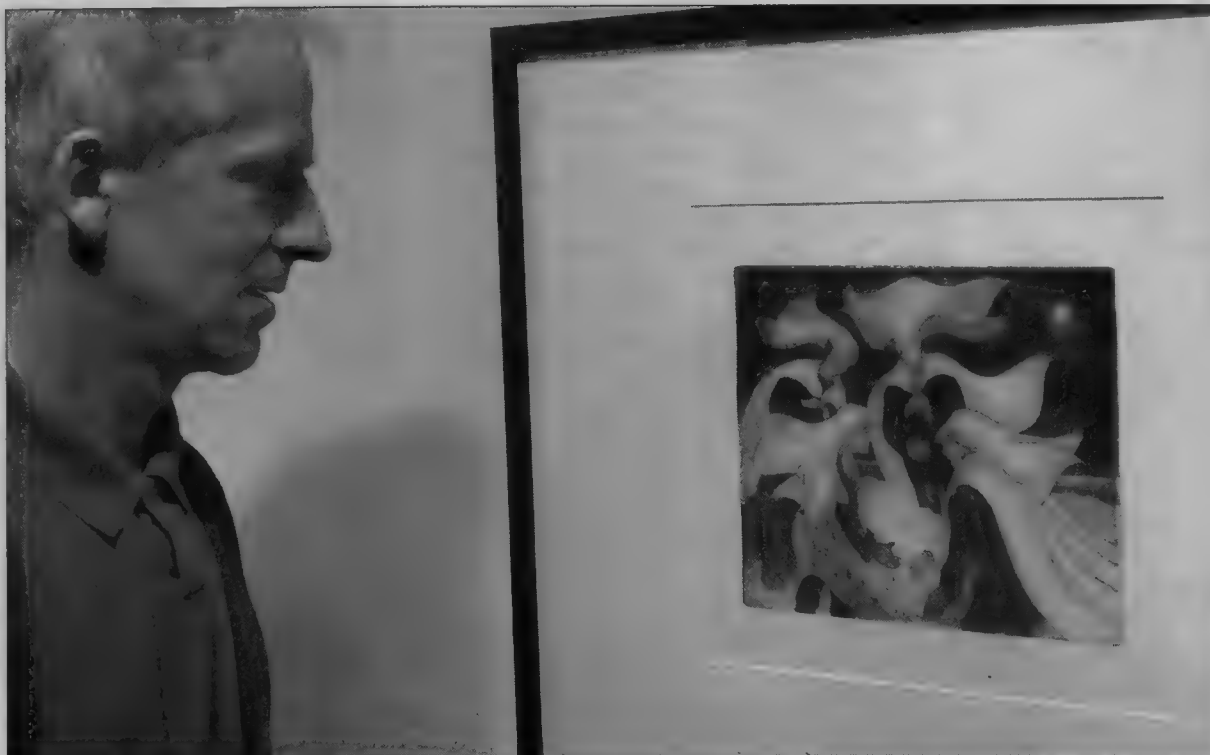
"Blackwood", which showcases the haunting, painstakingly rendered work of Canadian print-maker David Blackwood, opened at the Agnes Jamieson Gallery on Thursday night with about 30 art-lovers in attendance.

The educational exhibition, on loan from the Lambton Gallery in Sarnia, takes the audience through the involved process of creating what is known as an intaglio etching on copper, a technique which came from early 16th Century Germany when aristocrats etched their coat-of-arms.

On show at Agnes Jamieson are 14 renditions of the same work, *Fallen Mummer on Brookfield Marsh* (1966) - from the basic design drawing outlined on a piece of paper to the final artist's proof, as well as the original copper plate. What we see is a raw sketch of an art work evolve into a finished masterpiece.

Before delving fully into the exhibited material, the opening-night audience was treated to a National Film Board of Canada video about the artist himself. The 1974 film (its datedness was forgiven for the fact of its being nominated for an Academy Award in 1975) weaves between a commentary on Blackwood's stylistic themes and a peak at the artist in his studio, shuttling back and forth from carbon

Erin Tennant/TIMES



The new exhibit at the Agnes Jamieson Gallery is a fascinating glimpse into the evolution of one of David Blackwood intaglio etchings, *Fallen Mummer on Brookfield Marsh*. Opening night festivities attracted 30 people.

paper to copper plate to iron press.

Blackwood apparently was profoundly influenced by the rich story-telling tradition of his early life in Wesleyville, Bonavista Bay, an outpost where both his father and grandfather were captains on whaling schooners.

But Blackwood clearly has a gift for capturing the harshness of life in these ice scapes as well as the romanticised tales of fishing hunts. His works, which focus on the early part of last century, depict the lives of a people embattled by the cold winter nights but nonetheless sharing the strong bonds of a community which has

set it roots by the sea.

Blackwood's most renowned work is *Lost Party* (1963), which contains 50 images of the S.S. Newfoundland shipwreck disaster of 1914.

Fallen Mummer, which Blackwood took more than four months to complete, shows the true event of a party of 'mummers' who have dressed up in their lace curtain veils in the quasi-Halloween tradition of moving from house to house for food, drinks and some dancing. The image reveals the moment when one elderly mummer falls while crossing a barren after having a stroke, a moment when a

merry tradition turns to tragedy.

Blackwood's pains to portray both a deep sadness as well as an almost religious reverence in his work is perhaps in keeping with the laborious processes and minute attention to texture and tone that go towards the blue-black prints - as though Blackwood's affection for this intimate hometown history is coupled with a burden to set down a lasting record. As the work of an acclaimed Canadian artist, it's a record with seeing.

The exhibition will be running until May 19.

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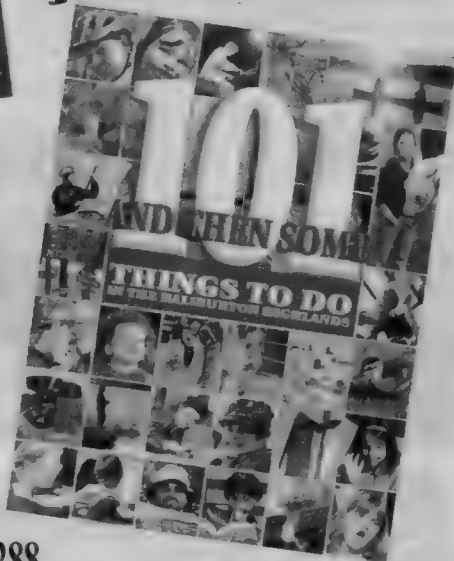
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John Latimer had a 'staggering' impact on campers' lives

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include headmaster of Royal St George's College in Toronto, Chief of Protocol for the province of Ontario, member of the board of directors for the Regent Park/Duke of York Children's Foundation (which provides educational and recreational support programs for inner-city children), past president of both AMICI Camping Charity and the Society of Camp Directors, and president of the Ontario and Canadian Camping Associations.

"His legacy will be greatly valued and his presence among us will be greatly missed," said the president of the Ontario Camping Association, Brian Blackstock.

John's passion for his work gave rise to a side career as a writer and lecturer. He authored *Maker of Men*, *The Kilcoo Story* and co-authored the *Camp Counsellor's Handbook*.

But John's most lasting impact was on the generations of Kilcoo boys who passed through John's open-armed summer camp and his abiding philosophy of learning through experience.

In 1955, after a short career as a radio broadcaster, John became director and owner of the 65-acre Gull Lake camp, offering archery, swimming, sailing, ropes courses and arts programs for boys aged between eight and 15. In 1985, he handed the reins over to son David. But John remained an active member of Kilcoo for over ten years before retiring altogether.

The large and loyal base of alumni that "Chief" leaves behind has only effusive praise for the man who laboured with selflessness and limitless kindness in teaching them respect for others, self-esteem, empathy, optimism, social respon-

sibility and an appreciation of nature. The 150 alumni who returned to Kilcoo for last September's reunion is testament to John's enduring legacy.

Minden councillor and former Kilcoo camper, Peter Oyler, said that John provided him "every opportunity to have fun, to make life-long friends, to make mistakes, learn from them and develop as an individual."

The 1960-65 alumnus added that "It was John and Kilcoo that gave me the great love that I have for the outdoors and Haliburton as a whole."

Scott de Savoye, general manager of Delta Pinestone Resort, recalls John's desire to see that his campers experience the uniqueness of Canada's cottage country.

"We had campers from South America and Asia who had never seen a pine tree before," said de Savoye, who summered at Kilcoo from 1972 to 1976.

In 1993, John was awarded the Queen's Jubilee Medal in recognition of his services.

This past September, John co-founded the Greenwood College School in Toronto. The aim was to transpose the learning philosophy of Kilcoo into an independent, co-educational high school. As part of their curriculum, each student spends four weeks at Kilcoo.

Son David, whose continuing work with youth organisations won him Toronto's Volunteer of the Year Award in 2000, said his father will be most remembered for his love of people – and especially young people.

"From all the cards we received, it's been staggering the impression he made on others," he said.



Martha Perkins/TIMES

John Latimer's pride was written in his smile last September when he brought the first class of students from Greenwood College to Kilcoo Camp.

David plans to erect a memorial at both Kilcoo Camp and Greenwood College.

The funeral service was held at Toronto's St James Cathedral on Friday. The cathedral reached its 900-seating capacity as at least 600 other mourners stood in attendance both inside and out-

side the church.

The family ask that any donations be made to AMICI or to Greenwood College.

John was husband to Peggy Macdonald for 42 years. He is survived by his three sons, Jeffrey, Michael and David.

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Minden hosts a parade of Lions



The colourful spectacle of a Lions parade made a sunny Saturday on main street even brighter. The event was part of a three day Lions convention involving 54 Lions clubs, 14 Lioness clubs and five Leo clubs from the District, being held at Delta Pinestone Resort. Minden Lions club president Brian Moore (middle photo, above) greeted spectators who lined the parade route. Music was provide by the Highlands Silver Flutes, above, and a pipe band. As always, visiting Lions brought along some zany costumes and unusual modes of transportation to add humour and visual delight to the parade.

Photos by LEN PIZZEY/Times



Watch out Roland Green — 14-year-old Kyle Fry of Minden has dreams of being the world champion of mountain biking.

BORN TO BIKE

— Small Fry has big dreams —

Unlike most young Canadians dreaming of being the next Wayne Gretzky, Kyle Fry is set on being the next Roland Green, a Canadian mountain biking world champion.

Fourteen-year-old Kyle plays hockey, but he lives and breathes cycling 24-hours a day.

When Green reclaimed his world title in Kaprun, Austria a few weeks ago, Kyle was awake early in the morning, watching the fellow Canadian, blackened from head-to-toe in mud, complete a masterpiece of a race which Kyle dreams of repeating one day.

His mother Donna, a marathon competitor, has run with her son and notices he will talk about cycling for an entire 5 km jog.

With an unparalleled enthusiasm for cycling, she said, it seems that wherever she goes with him he talks about bicycling. She remembers, at a doctor's appointment to correct a minor foot problem, the appointment became more of an exchange of bicycle parts than a diagnosis when the doctor learned of Kyle's involvement with cycling.

Kyle's entire family is athletic. His father Jim is a triathlete — cycling, swimming, and running — and older sister Kira participates in every sport imaginable, even winning a medal at the all-Ontario high school wrestling championship this past year.

During this long winter, Kyle was busy tinkering with his bicycle, refining it, perfecting it for his riding style or logging the

miles, spinning 90 revolutions-per-minute on the stationary set-up for his bicycle, preparing for the upcoming season.

His off-season training paid off with a silver medal at the Bethany Mudslinger Mountain Bike Race in Bethany Hills a few weeks ago. It was the 14-year-old's best finish in a short three-year race career.

Fry discovered his passion for cycling when his parents sent him to a weekend mountain biking camp at Hardwood Hills in 2000. At the end of the camp he noticed his skills had improved dramatically and were, for the most part, better than the other campers'.

Kyle said unlike team sports such as hockey mountain biking depends largely on the individual for success and failure.

"You push yourself a lot harder [in mountain biking]. In hockey there is a team to help you...when you ride it's all by yourself," he said.

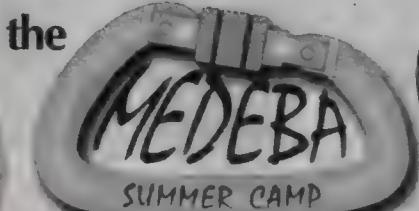
"Out of all the trophies and medals in his room its the mountain bike silver (won earlier in the year) he values. It's the one he treasures," Donna said.

Eventually, Kyle would like to become a sponsored professional rider so he can ride on the mountain biking World Cup Circuit and possibly in the Tour de France. He maybe willing to sweat and shed blood for his dreams, but he has his limits.

"I'll be the only rider out there [without shaven legs] and I won't be wearing those tight shorts. I'd quit first," Kyle said.

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OPP to resume visits of licensed establishments

by MARTHA PERKINS
Times Staff

When you're sitting in your favourite bar or licensed restaurant, don't be surprised if a uniformed OPP officer drops by for a friendly visit.

The Haliburton Highlands detachment will once again do routine patrols of licensed establishments as part of its campaign to make the Highlands a safer place.

"We'll be doing regular walk-throughs, making sure there are no under-age drinkers or intoxicated patrons being served," Staff Sgt. Bob Walli told Algonquin Highlands council on Thursday as part of his yearly report. "We're not identifying any one establishment; everyone will see more of a police presence."

Another new emphasis will be highway safety. Walli says last year nine people died on roads in the Highlands, and almost half of them were on Hwy. 118.

"Each fatality [on Hwy. 118] had its own set of circumstances but it does cause us some concern so we'll be working on that," Walli said. The increased number of fatalities "is not a good thing."

Only one of those fatalities, however, was a snowmobiler, which is a good sign that various safety initiatives are working. Last year there were four snowmobiling fatalities.

The OPP patrols stopped 4,500 snowmobilers this past season to ensure rules were being followed. As well, snowmobiling federations have had aggressive safety campaigns.

Another factor is that snowmobilers are taking more responsibility for their own safety. "More people who went into the water got out of the water because they were wearing floatation suits," Walli said.

He also reported that in 2002, the trend towards fewer break and enters continued throughout the county.

Hyland Crest still has visiting restrictions

Visits to Hyland Crest are still being restricted as the province continues its fight to control the spread of Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome.

Friends and relatives can visit residents every Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.. Visiting is limited to one visitor at a time for each resident. Visitors are asked not to come if they are feeling unwell.

People are asked to park in the lot off of McPherson Street and enter through the main doors.

To date, there have been no patients with suspected or confirmed SARS at any Haliburton Highlands Health Services site or in Haliburton County.



Darren Lum/TIMES

Deb and her shadow

Grade 8 student Colin Ellis was a big help to the *Times*' office manager, Deb Deremo, when he spent a day at the newspaper office as part of the job shadowing program at Archie Stouffer Elementary School. He helped to type the classifieds and then proofread them.

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Road allowances to water not for sale

by SHERYL LOUCKS
Times Staff

Ginny O'Brien left Minden Hills council last Thursday frustrated that the municipality wants to hold on to the end of a dead end road instead of selling it to her.

"It's of no use to anyone but me. Our cottage is beside the road allowance and it would just mean extending our waterfront by 33 feet. We have no interest in building on it," says O'Brien.

She and her neighbours from the other side of the allowance, the Menzies, both made applications for half of a 66-foot shoreline road allowance on Twelve Mile Lake last summer. The O'Brien application went to the committee of the whole late in the fall and the minutes suggest the application would be approved and the allowance sold for \$100 a foot. O'Brien was surprised then to receive a letter in March of this year denying the application.

Unbeknownst to her, council had changed the rules after O'Brien applied. In accordance with a new bylaw, council will no longer consider selling road allowances that lead to water. Applicants can appeal the rule and their cases will be judged on an individual basis – but not O'Brien's.

O'Brien came to council and explained the road allowance is not maintained by the municipality and the land on the other side of the allowance will not be developed because it is a forest owned by the cottagers, including her family.

Councillors discussed the fact that the area is marked on a map as being swampy and may require the environmental protection of public ownership. Councillor Bill Obee said the main issue is the municipality didn't sell other requests and should not do it for this one.

Councillor Peter Oyler suggested that if council would not sell they should reimburse O'Brien her deposit and application fee. The rest of council agreed..

"I don't understand why they wouldn't look at this as an individual case. These people are very hard-nosed about this," says O'Brien.

She was grateful for the refund but says she is also wondering if she might have more luck with her application after the up-coming election.

Minden Hills mourns the passing of employee, Kilcoo Camp owner

by SHERYL LOUCKS
Times Staff

The following are brief accounts from the regular council meeting of Minden Hills on April 24.

A moment of silence was held during the regular council meeting of Minden Hills for George Johnson and John Latimer.

"I was saddened to hear yesterday that George Johnson had passed away," Reeve Ross Rigney.

"George was a hard worker, dedicated, and most of all a team player, and served the ratepayers in a professional manner for over 18 years.

"We would like to extend our deepest sympathy to all of his family, and if we can be of any assistance through this traumatic time, we will be there."

Councillor Peter Oyler read a statement of tribute to John Latimer, co-owner of Camp Kilcoo. Oyler said Latimer was known affectionately and respectfully as 'chief' and dedicated himself to the overall development of young people across Canada.

Oyler made a motion that deepest sympathy and condolences would be expressed to Latimer's wife Peggy and their three sons David, Jeffrey, Michael and their families.

Noise Bylaw

The new noise bylaw for Minden Hills has been passed. The bylaw says no person shall make, cause or permit to be made any unnecessary noise which disturbs the quiet, peace, rest, enjoyment, comfort or convenience of any other person.

Exemptions include emergency vehicles or special

events that have been given written permission from the council.

The bylaw enforcement officer of Minden Hills or any OPP officer will do enforcement. There are three associated fines, all for \$150, and they are for making noise likely to disturb, permitting noise likely to disturb and causing noise likely to disturb.

Student shortage

Ray Miscio, recreation manager, requested council to consider hiring two seasonal adult workers instead of the traditional college or university students because there were only two applications from post-secondary students.

Mary Jane Irwin, treasurer, says to her knowledge they have not had this problem before in hiring summer staff. Councillors also said that it was an odd

Gerry Morrison, chief administrative officer, says a letter has been sent to the union regarding the predicament and the union has no problem with the hiring of the adults.

Sneaker Day

Sneaker Day is May 9 in Minden. Not officially mind you. Minden Hills council will no longer make official proclamations of certain weeks.

Instead, Reeve Ross Rigney says councillors and staff can show their support of an event such as Sneaker Day by participating on an individual basis. The council did agree to support this fundraiser by opening the public washrooms and by providing tables and chairs.

The walk is an initiative by Health For Life and will start at 11 a.m. at the Gazebo/Minden Bridge and run to 1:30 p.m. For more details about special workplace challenges and prize draws please call 457-1391.

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Minden WI chooses Pam Rolfe as president, elects other officers

Submitted

On April 16, the members of the Women's Institute were graciously welcomed by Hanna Casper to her beautiful home. We were also thrilled to receive a new member, Clara Tomkinson, and we are looking forward to her participation in all of our activities.

The vice president brought the meeting to order and thanked everyone for coming out on a nasty day. We sang the Opening Ode, then repeated the Mary Stewart Collect. The roll call was answered by 14 members, each of them showing a picture of an ancestor with a little history about them.

The minutes of the March meeting were read and approved. The treasurer gave her current and yearly report showing a healthy balance. The correspondence was read. In it there was a letter from the A.S.E.S. School Council

asking the members to consider a donation for the school programs such as playground equipment, breakfast club and library resources. After discussion, it was decided to give \$100 toward these programs.

For our hosting lunch at the craft sale on May 3 and 4, we had discussion as to who would prepare the food. Annual reports were given by the chosen members of the committees for the year 2002. We then proceeded with our elections for the year 2003. Officers for this year were as follows: President - Pam Rolfe, 1st Vice President - Beryl Henderson, 2nd Vice President - Dolores Cartmill, Secretary - Mary Cox, Treasurer - Hanna Casper, District Director - Mary Cox, Alternate District Director - Jean Cox, Curator - Lynn Hancock, Program Co-ordinator - Beryl Henderson, Financial Examiners - Gala Stamp and Mabel Deacon, Branch Directors - Bea Berry, Dawn Boland, Bette Herlihey, Public Relations Officer - Dolores Cartmill. The Convenors are: Agriculture - Dawn Boland, Business and Industry - Del Gun, Arts and Crafts - Hanna Casper, Resolutions - Beulah Hewitt and Mary Cox, Current Events - Del Gunn, Card Convenor - Beryl Henderson, Health Education - Bea Berry, Agriculture Representative - Jean Cox, Education - Bette Herlihey, Citizenship, Culture and Community - is open, our Pianists - Elva Deacon and Jean Cox.. The officers were duly installed.

The meeting closed with the Institute Grace. The draw was won by Jean Cox. We had a cake for Mabel and she was serenaded with Happy Birthday! We all thanked Hanna for having the meeting at her home.

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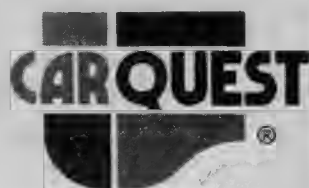
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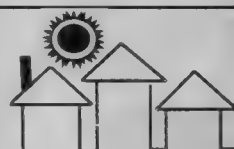
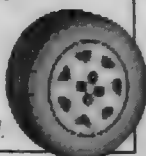
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Film honours work of Kinmount doctor

National Film Board production debuts at Highlands Cinema May 14

Here in Kinmount there is a growing sense of pride and anticipation as the date for the World Premiere of the National Film Board of Canada Production "A Country Doctor - Small-Town Medicine with a Heart" approaches. This documentary film becomes an intimate portrait of a community as it follows the first years of Dr. Elena Mihu's practice at the Kinmount District Health Centre. The Premiere will take place on Wednesday, May 14 at the Highland Cinemas, Kinmount, with the first showing at 6 p.m., followed by a Reception at the Community Centre and the second showing at 8 p.m. Tickets for this event, a Kinmount District Health Services Foundation fund-raiser, have sold quickly. It is my understanding that there are now a limited number of tickets available for the second showing only. To enquire about tickets please call 488-2801 or 488-2667.

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On a related note the Kinmount District Health Services Foundation will hold its Annual General Meeting on May 20 at 9 a.m. at the Health Centre. The public is most welcome to attend. For more information call 488-2667.

Be sure to come out and support the Community Police Bake Sale at the Police Substation in Minden on Saturday, May 17 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The Substation is located across from the Rockcliffe.

Here's your chance to try your fortune at "Karoake Night" at the Kinmount Legion Branch 441 on Saturday, May 17 from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. There is no charge and everyone is welcome remembering that age of majority regulations will apply. For more information give Carolyne Fountain a call at 488-2513.

Archbishop Terence Finlay will be the special guest at St. Luke's Anglican Church of Burnt River Centennial Dinner on Saturday, May 17 at the Burnt River Recreation Centre at 5 p.m. Archbishop Findlay will also celebrate the Centennial Eucharist at the 11:30 a.m. Church Service on Sunday, May 18 followed by Anniversary Cake and Refreshments on the lawn and Open House with Ada Handley until 4 p.m.

Now here is the **Scoring News**, along with your usual reminder to keep busy and well.

Thursday, April 17 euchre at the Minden Legion Branch 636: For most lone hands it was Esther Lee for the

ladies and Gala Stamp representing the gents. Pat Roussel and Don Burch recorded the ladies/men's high scores, while Barb Robitaille and Tom Orr had the lows. Other prizes went to Maxine Cross, Marcel Roussel, Esther Lee and Barb Robitaille, who also took home the special door prize of a plant, kindly donated by Kay Orr.



AROUND THE TOWN

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Saturday, April 19 bid euchre at Staunworth Terrace, Minden: On behalf of the Staunworth Terrace Social Club, Helen Skelding made a special presentation to Ruth Kellett for all her hard work and leadership organizing the bid euchre parties. Her efforts have been most appreciated. The three top prizes went to Ruth Kellett 329, Isobel Cherwenka 326 and Norm Lee 295, while Ray Moore, along with Bill and Mildred St. Thomas uncovered hidden scores. In the moonshot department it was Ray Moore, Ruth Kellett, Kevin Maloney and Margaret Fletcher recording singles.

Monday, April 21 euchre at Staunworth Terrace, Minden: Elaine Yeo reports that "10's" were the highlight of the evening. Norm Lee won for high hands, Helen Skelding for low hands and Cecil Smith was a double winner, taking both most lone hands and the special draw.

Monday, April 21 euchre at Club 35, Halls Lake: For most lone hands it was Cliff Davison, with the high scores for ladies/men going to Pearl Kemohan and Cliff Woolner. Low scores for the evening were recorded by Loretta Lamb and Stan Dutka. Marion Farr took home the baloney.

Monday, April 21 euchre at the Friendship Club, St. Paul's Anglican Church, Minden: Mabel Deacon celebrated her birthday with a double win, taking most lone hands for the ladies and a special draw prize. Dean Chambers had the most lone hands for the gents, with Joyce Ritchie and Jesse Barlow recording the ladies/men high scores. Gwen Cox had the afternoon's low score and Fern Donnelly received the other draw prize.

Monday, April 21 Kinmount Seniors bid euchre at the Kinmount Legion Branch 441: In top spot was Bev Zavitz, with Ida Young second. Moonshots landed on Thelma Francis and Ida Young while the draw winners were Bill St. Thomas and Elva Paisley. This is an afternoon event beginning at 1 p.m. and new players are always welcome to come out.

Tuesday, April 22 bid euchre at the Minden Legion Branch 636: Top spot went to Ida Young, with Norm Lee second and Elva Paisley third. Moonshots were recorded by Jim Corbett, Sharon Evans, Marj Richardson and Charlie Richardson, while hidden score holders were Pat Scadden, Trudy Kroes and Don Burch. Thanks to Marie Dennie for her update.

Tuesday, April 22 contract bridge at Stanhope: One slam was recorded by Morris Hansen and Dorothy Strype, with June Branning winning the lucky draw. Harold Cox led the top scoring quartet with an impressive 7760, followed by Ray Moore 6580, Margot Davidson 5770 and Betty Dicker 5740. Everyone joined in congratulating Harold on the eve of his 90th birthday as he received the "HOTH" Special Award. Indeed it was a "Hats Off To Harold" night.

Tuesday, April 22 Stanhope Fire Hall Seniors Social Club mixed shuffleboard: With 331 points, the team of Syd Lockhart and Belle Walker took first place, followed by Verna Sawyer and Laura Carnegie 310 and Connie Sawyer partnered with Ellen Holden 303. For low score honours the duo of Paul Poulton and Barbara Gamble tied at 123 with Cliff Davison and Sandy Poulton.

Tuesday, April 22 euchre at Lochlin Community Centre: For the gents, George Bartley took the high score and Ralph Young the low, while Eleanor Young was high lady and Ingra Walters low. Perry Peacock had the most lone hands and our reporter Barb Carpenter won the special draw.

Wednesday, April 23 bid euchre at Stanhope: Gala Stamp reports that Donna Medland, Peter Farr, Pat Roussel, Jean Dutka, Neil Griffin and Jean Scadden each had a moonshot. Sharon Evans led the pinks with 308, followed by Mary Pearson 297 and Marge Richards 295. For the white cards it was Dick Coffey first at 315, then Ken Wallace 263 and Peter Farr 260.

Wednesday, April 23 duplicate bridge at Parklane, Haliburton: Playing the Howell system, it was Muriel McIntosh and Ross Fletcher first at 62% then Don Mills teamed with Bill Sandford second at 60% and in third with 54% were Rita and Glen Lockhart.

Wednesday, April 23 Kinmount Seniors euchre at the Kinmount Legion Branch 441: For the ladies, Mary Wilkins took the high score honours and Berkie Parker the low, while Roger Fournier was high man and Bill St. Thomas low. Theresa Deak had a double win, taking not only most lone hands but also a draw prize along with Marg Viney. Seniors President Mildred St. Thomas reminds that new players are always welcome to come out for the 7:30 p.m. start.



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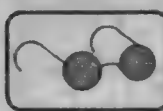
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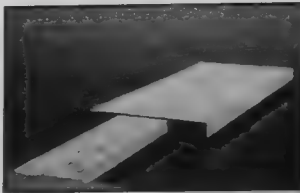
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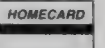
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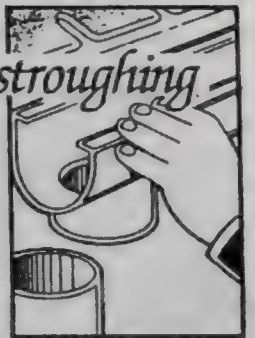
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Box 359, 7 Milne Street,
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Attention: Mr. Ray Miscio,
Parks, Recreation and Cemetery Manager.

Envelopes should be clearly marked

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and submitted no later than 12:00 noon on
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We thank all applicants who apply but only those selected
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Vacancies will soon exist on the Board of Directors of the Haliburton Highlands Health Services.

The HHHS has a broad mandate to oversee
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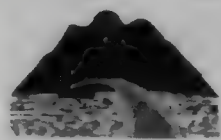
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Regarding an application received to Prohibit Gas Powered Motor Boats on Bat Lake

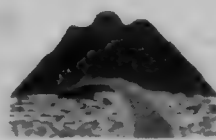
The Council of The Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills will hold a meeting on
Thursday, May 29, 2003, commencing at 9:00 a.m. in the Municipal Council Chambers,
7 Milne Street, Minden, Ontario, to consider an application received to have the operation
of gas powered motor boats prohibited on Bat Lake.

Bat Lake is located on Lots 5, 6, and 7, Concessions 1 and 2, in the geographic Township of
Minden, in the County of Haliburton.

Any person wishing to comment on the matter is invited to attend the meeting. Anyone
wishing to make a written submission, either in support of, or in opposition to the request is
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Dated at the Township of Minden Hills, on this 27th day of March, 2003.

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Dorset gets ready for Pitch-in day

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George MacDonald, 1824-1905, British poet and novelist.

It's almost here! Dorset's annual Pitch In Day is scheduled for Saturday, May 3, beginning at 9 a.m. Garbage bags will be available at the Dorset Recreation Centre. Coffee and treats will be served at the Dorset Recreation Centre at 10:30 a.m., after the clean-up. This is a great opportunity for high school students to log some community service hours - bring your cards and organizer Kerry Lock will sign them for you. For more information, you



DORSET NEWS

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A Watercolour Painting Workshop will be held at the Dorset Recreation Centre on Saturday, May 10 from 1 to 3:30 p.m. You will be painting within 15 minutes. All materials are supplied by teacher Maggie Broda, who will help you discover a hidden talent or reawaken an old passion. The cost is \$25 for adults and \$20 for children ages

8 to 13. Registration is required by calling the Dorset Recreation Centre at 766-9968.

Don't miss the Victoria Day Weekend Arts and Crafts Show at the Dorset Recreation Centre on Saturday, May 17 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. It's a great way to avoid the black flies! Come and see all the beautifully handcrafted items created by local artisans and crafters. For more information, call the Rec Centre at 766-9968.

Also on the 17th of May is the Stanhope Community Garage Sale and BBQ at the Stanhope Firefighter's Hall on North Shore Road. Vendors wanted! Come and rent a table for \$5 and take advantage of the location and advertising to get rid of your junk. One man's junk is another man's treasure! For more information or to reserve a table, please call 766-9968.

Registration for the Algonquin Highlands Elvin Johnson Park Red Cross Swim Program at Halls Lake this summer is taking place at the Stanhope Firefighter's Hall on Saturday and Sunday, May 17 and 18. A Health Card is required. For more information, call 766-9968.

The Dorset Volunteer Fire Department is holding its famous Pig Roast on Saturday, May 24. Tickets are \$25 per person. For information or tickets, please contact Donna Keul at 705-766-9253 or dlkeul@vianet.on.ca.

Would you be interested in a Paper Tole workshop? Plans are in the works to hold one at The Dorset Recreation Centre where examples of this French art form can be seen. A beginner's workshop will be held (date to be announced) consisting of five lessons. The project, tools and lessons will cost \$135. Space is limited and registration is required. For more information, call 766-9968.

Birthday wishes for April 27 to May 3 go out to Elmar Hendrikson, Dukie Broome, Ralph Hair, John Shepard, Veronica Anderson, McKenzie Drinkwater, Craig Woods and Shallon Dukoff. Have a wonderful day!

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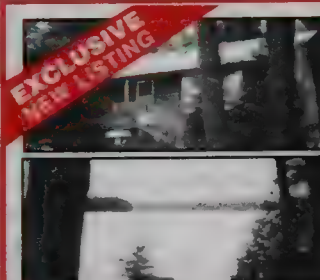
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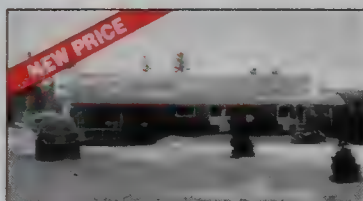
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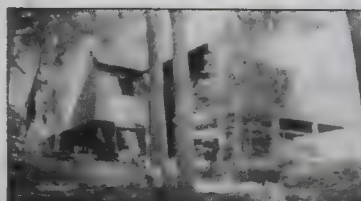
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- **The Haliburton Highlands Prostate Cancer Support Group** meets the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m., in the Fireside lounge at the Hyland Crest Senior Citizen's Home in Minden. All men and the women who love them are welcome. For info., please call Rick Ratcliff at 286-6699 or email: leacliff@sympatico.ca.
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- **Haliburton County Home Support's** trip to Mamma Mia on April 23 is now full. We are taking bookings for a second trip to Mamma Mia on Saturday, May 24. Please call Sheri for more information at 457-2941, or Adele at 448-2838.
- **Haliburton County Home Support** has an ongoing Treasure Table in the Drop in Center. Drop by with your change and check out our table. We appreciate any donations towards our table...please no clothing. For more info call 705-457-2941.
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- **Victoria Save A Life** is offering courses in May on: CPR, Heart Saver/Infant Child, Basic Rescuer Level "C" CPR, Basic Rescuer/Standard First Aid, Heart Saver/Emergency First Aid, Basic Rescuer Recertification. For more information and registration phone 324-1656, W.S.I.B. Approved.
- **May 1:** Ontario Early Years Centres Haliburton Victoria Brock presents: "Talk to Me-Read to Me" A workshop for parents of children ages birth to 24 months. 1:30 p.m. at Chace Place in Minden.
- **May 1:** "ready to Read" A workshop for parents of preschool children. 6:00 p.m. at Chace Place in Minden * dinner will be provided. Literacy specialist Lois Robertson is our guest speaker. Please sign up in centre or call 286-1770 or 286-4074. Childcare is available.
- **May 1:** Alzheimer Society Family/caregiver Group held at 10:30 am at the Kinmount and District Health Centre. Open group.
- **May 2:** Haliburton Highlands Women's Golf league Icebreaker Tee at the Wigamog Inn at 7pm.
- **May 4:** Haliburton Highlands Hospital Auxiliary Haliburton Site presents Spring Tea and Fashion Show. 1:30 p.m. at the Wigamog Inn. Fashions by Bigleys, door prizes, dessert, special prizes. To order call 457-2642.
- **May 6:** As part of our community helpers month, an ambulance will be visiting the Ontario Early Years Centre in Minden (formerly CHACE) at 11:00 am. Learn about the ambulance and see what it looks like inside. Call 286-1770.
- **May 7:** The Laryngectomy and Family Support Group welcomes laryngectomees and their families to its monthly meeting from 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. at the Canadian Cancer Society at 727 Lansdowne St. W in Peterborough, On. Please feel free to contact CCS at 705-742-3823 or Jim Riel at 705-745-3178.
- **May 13:** Alzheimer Society Support Groups. Caregiver Education Topic: On the Road. 1:00 pm-2:30 p.m. Alzheimer Office-Haliburton. Please contact Janet Bottum, Support Services Coordinator, at the Alzheimer Society Office in Haliburton at 457-8335.
- **May 13:** A police officer will be teaching the children about strangers at the Ontario Early Years Centre in Minden (formerly Chace) at 11am. Call 286-1770 for more info.
- **May 16:** Haliburton Highlands Hospital Auxiliary-Haliburton Site. Card Party. Lunch, bridge, euchre and prizes. At the Haliburton Legion at 12 noon.
- **May 17:** Haliburton Highlands Field Naturalists-Please join us for a walk and presentation on "Traditional Native Medicinal Plants" with Robin Simpson. Learn about ceremonial gathering and uses. Call Robin for details and directions. 447-3407
- **May 17:** Stanhope Community Garage Sale and BBQ -10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Outdoors at the Stanhope Fire Hall. If May showers arrive we will be operating under the pavilion. Vendors wanted. Contact: Alisha Stevens. Phone: 705-766-9968. Stanhope Recreation Committee.

Events listings are provided **FREE** for non-profit groups on a space-available basis. While we endeavor to accommodate requests for publication, we cannot guarantee that all requests for listings will appear. Requests should be faxed to The Times at 286-4768, emailed to editor@mindentimes.on.ca., or brought in to the office. **NOTE:** This calendar is **NOT A COMPREHENSIVE LISTING OF ALL EVENTS** taking place in the area. Please check the classified pages, display advertising and articles appearing elsewhere in The Times for more information on events and in the Highlands.

Precautions linked to SARS limit visitors to Hyland Crest

Due to SARS we were not able to have many of our regularly scheduled programs for most of April. As you probably know, Hyland Crest has been closed to all but staff as a precautionary measure. The staff members have been filling in as best they can. When entertainers were unable to come, we played games or sang songs to amuse ourselves. Bingo is still a big hit and a favourite and we have enjoyed this event. Thanks to Kim for doing such a great job; we certainly appreciate all her hard work.

SENIOR LEAGUE

News from Hyland Crest

Tea Party went on without our weekly hosts and their delicious goodies. We managed with donuts one week and some hot cross buns another week. We seem to be doing well but do miss seeing our family, friends and volunteers.

We are now able to have some visitors with restrictions. Our company can only come in on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m.

That made it possible for Pearl and Maxine to come in and help us with bingo on Saturday, the 9th. It was so nice to have them back with us once again.

Rev. Burgess has also been able to come in to see us once again with his heart-felt visits. That Easter Sunday, Pastor Dan Millard performed Easter Service and helped out with some old favourite hymns of ours.

We also must remember to thank that Easter Bunny who popped in and left some Easter goodies for us at our dinner table. The tables looked festive for the occasion, thanks to our craft group members who made Easter place mats and pretty napkins. Even with the shut down they managed to make sure things were set for the occasion.

Thankfully, they have SARS confined and are now allowing our eager volunteers to return with restrictions. On Tuesday, Joy Bain led us during Chapel and the Pickards were back once again to entertain us that afternoon. It was so nice to see Dottie, who had escaped winter for a while for her Florida vacation. How nice

to have you back! Dottie, along with Brenda, assist us with crafts. Yes we cannot take all the credit for the lovely things made at crafts; they help us out and guide us through each venture we take. Thank you ladies! The Trivocals were back for Wednesday evening Pub Night and were dressed in lovely red outfits and in full harmonious voice. All this company is like spring itself, a breath of fresh air. Thank

you all for coming back so quickly and raising our spirits.

Hopefully the warm spring weather will

come along for the occasion and stay to bring the flowers blooming. It has been a little too chilly for our enjoyment and we are patiently waiting to open the windows, letting old man winter out and welcoming in spring. Oh for fresh air and sunny days.

Sadly we report the loss of three of our residents. Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family and friends of Sid Roberts, Harold Orsborn and Thelma Oldrieve. We will truly miss them.

As we said before, we truly miss our family, friends and volunteers during the SARS restrictions. We do not know what we miss until it is taken away from us and hopefully we will take this time to learn how precious we are to each other. We are grateful at how quickly people reacted when the doors were once again opened and you came to help brighten our days. We also would like to thank our staff who did what they could to see that our spirits continue to shine even without our family and friends.

Absence makes the heart grow fonder.

Finally, we would like to welcome two new residents. They are Hugh Allen and Chesel Nesbitt. We are looking forward to seeing you out and about as our function continue to happen so we can get to know you better. We had the pleasure of getting to know Brian Edwards who was here on respite just a short time ago.

In closing we'll simply say "hope to see you soon!"

Recycling program helps Diabetes Assoc.

A cure for diabetes could be hiding in your closet!

Through an innovative program that consists of collecting and recycling clothing and household goods, Canadian Diabetes Association raises money for diabetes research, education, service and advocacy. The donated goods are sold to Value Village, a thrift retailer selling recycled goods.

On Friday, May 9, The Canadian Diabetes Collection Program is having a

clothing drive in Minden. Ridgewood Ford on Hwy. 35 has offered space for the Canadian Diabetes Association truck to park from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., and residents of the Haliburton Highlands and Minden are invited to drop by with donations of used clothing and household items.

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Sue Ferren and Cindee St. Pierre,
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Box 1306
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**Canadian Coast Guard
 PLEASURECRAFT
 BOATING CERTIFICATION**
 Is being offered at the
 Highlands Community
 Learning Centre
 Old Victoria Street School
May 8th at 1 - 5 p.m.
May 22nd at 1 - 5 p.m.
 Evening Course -
 June 3 & 4, 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.
\$25 per person
 Ask for Kathy at 457-4562

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**FAMILY SERVICES
 OF HALIBURTON COUNTY**
 will hold their
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
 on June 9, 2003
 at 7:00 p.m.
 at the Delta Pinestone Resort
 To be eligible to vote, you must
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 at least 30 days
 in advance of meeting
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**HALIBURTON MESSIAH
 CHOIR**
 presents
Ducktails and Bobbysocks
 Music of the 50's
 Northern Lights Pavilion
Sat., May 3 - 7:30 p.m.
Sun., May 4 - 2:30 p.m.
 Reserved Seating \$15.00
 Tickets at Nancy's Flowers and
 Ethel Curry Gallery, Haliburton;
 Pharmasave, Minden;
 Jenkins Music Store, Bancroft
 Dress up (50's)
 and come along!

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**MINDEN AND DISTRICT
 HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY
 MEETING**
Tuesday, May 6, 2003
7:15 p.m.
"THE DOCTOR IS IN"
 Jean Robson
 will discuss African Violets
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"Talk to Me - Read to Me"
 A workshop for parents of
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 * receive a free book
Date: Thurs., May 1st
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Location: Chace Place
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 A workshop for parents
 of preschool children
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**HALIBURTON HIGHLANDS
 HOSPITAL AUXILIARY
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 Lunch - Bridge - Euchre
 Prizes
When: Friday, May 16
Where: Haliburton Legion
Time: 12:00 noon
Cost: \$7.00
 Proceeds for
 Portable X-ray Machine

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SPRING CRAFT SALE
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May 3 & 4
Sat., 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
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380 BIRTHS

MACDUFF - Big brother Dawson is thrilled to announce the safe arrival of his baby sister.

DANAYA LEE-ANN MARIE
 Born on March 30, 2003
 at Orillia Soldiers Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 lb. 14 oz. Excited parents are Kirk and Tanya. Proud grandparents are Laurie Sisson, Bev and Brad MacDuff, and Bob Sisson. And proud great grandparents are Wes Sisson, Eileen Yewman, and George and Claire MacDuff. A cute niece for Shane, Tara and Shauna. A new cousin for Mackenzie.

400 NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS
 All claims against the Estate of **ALLIN SLOANE COOPER**, late of the Township of Minden, in the Municipality of Minden Hills, in the County of Haliburton, deceased, who died on or about January 18, 2003, are hereby notified to send particulars of same to the undersigned on or before the 2nd day of May, 2003, after which date the Estate will be distributed with regard to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have notice and the undersigned will not be liable to any person of whose claim they shall not then have notice.

DATED at Minden, the 8th day of April, 2003.
JOHN ALLIN COOPER
 Estate Trustee
 by his solicitor
**PINCKARD • WYJAD
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 P.O. Box 850
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440 THANK YOU

I WOULD LIKE to thank my wife, family and good friends who came to celebrate my 30th birthday party and made it a very memorable one! Sincerely,
Dan Douglas.

WINTERGREEN MAPLE SYRUP AND PANCAKE BARN is now closed for the maple syrup season. Look for a calendar of summer events published in the Echo and Times Classifieds soon. We would like to thank our outstanding staff: Ryan and Kate Dawson, Kathryn Berube, Marian Harris, Connor Duhaime, and Allana Ziorjen for their excellent skills and patience. To our valued customers, many thanks for your support and encouragement. If you need maple products, please call 286-3202 or fax 286-3358.

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450 IN MEMORIAM

COX, FRED - In loving memory of Fred Cox who passed away four years ago, May 6, 1999. Sadly remembered by his children Lesley and Robert; mother and father, Albert and Helen Cox; brother Ed, his wife Debbie and their children Dennis and Joey.

SNELL, OSWALD - April 24, 2000. There will always be a heart-ache. Often a silent tear, Always precious memories. Of the days when you were here. We hold you close within our hearts, And there you will remain, To walk with us throughout our lives, Until we meet again. We will love you always and miss you forever. Always lovingly remembered by Maxine, Lorne, Mary and Karen, and families.

450 IN MEMORIAM

SPENCER - In loving memory of Gerald Spencer, dear husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather, who passed away May 1, 2001. Dear one, you are not forgotten, Though on earth you are no more, Still in memory you are with us, As you always were before. Your memory is our keepsake, With which we'll never part, God has you in His keeping, We have you in our hearts. Unseen, unheard, but always near, Sadly missed by wife Gertrude and family.

460 OBITUARIES

GEORGE JOSEPH ANDREW JOHNSON
 Passed away suddenly
 at home in Minden
 on Wednesday, April 23, 2003
 In his 55th year.

Beloved husband of Kathy. Dear father of Corrie (Leanne), Earl (Christina), Karen (Mark), step-father of Tanya (Gary), Tyler, and Casey. Adoring Pop-pa of Tyler, Brandon, Jordyn, and Brooke. Dear brother of Marion, Les, Jack (Doreen), Shirley (Earl), Ken (Linda), Clarence (Debbie), and predeceased by Deloris. Fondly remembered by many nieces, nephews, family and friends. Friends were invited to visit the family at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home Ltd., 127 Main St., Minden K0M 2K0 (1-888-588-5777) from 2:00 until 5:00 p.m. on Sunday. Funeral Service in the chapel on Monday, April 28, 2003 at 11:00 a.m. Cremation to follow. Reception will be held at the Royal Canadian Legion Branch #636, Minden (Hwy. 35N and Hwy. 121). Memorial donations to the Minden Hospital Auxiliary would be appreciated by the family.

"George is now gone fishing with his buddies Bryce and Dave"

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REITA McNEIL (nee Hogg)
 Passed away peacefully
 at home in Bethel
 on Saturday, April 19, 2003
 In her 100th year.

Beloved wife of the late Bert McNeil. Dear sister of the late Agnes Duncan, Oliver Hogg, Lorne Hogg and Garnet Hogg. Fondly remembered by many nieces, nephews, family and friends. Friends were invited to visit the family at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home Ltd., 127 Main St., Minden from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Funeral Service was held in the Chapel on Tuesday, April 22, 2003 at 1:00 p.m. Interment will be held at the Bethel Cemetery at a later date. Memorial donations to the Haliburton Access Centre would be appreciated by the family.

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460 OBITUARIES

LATIMER, JOHN ROBERT, "Chief": After 72 years of living life to its fullest, "Chief" has passed away peacefully following a short battle with cancer at the Princess Margaret Hospital on Tuesday, April 22, 2003. Dearly beloved husband of 42 years of Peggy Macdonald. One-of-a-kind father of David (Beth), Jeffrey (Larry) and Michael (Kelly). Enthusiastic (and patient) Gramps to Tori, Thomas, T.J. and Charlie. John is the son of Larry Latimer and Zetta (Greenwood) Latimer who predeceased him as did his only sister Marney Thomas. John saw a wonderful dream come true this year in co-founding Greenwood College School. Previously he has been the Headmaster of Royal St. Georges College, acting chief of Protocol for the Province of Ontario, very active in several political campaigns as well as a published author. In his dedication to young people, he served on many school boards, camping associations and youth charities. John's love and passion, in addition to his family, was Kilcoo Camp, the magical place where he grew up as a boy. The Chief and his partner and best friend Mrs. Chief owned and directed Kilcoo Camp for over 40 years. Visitations with the Latimer family began years ago and we hope will continue for many years to come. A celebration of John's life took place at St. James Cathedral, 65 Church Street (at King Street) on Friday, April 25, 2003 at 11:00 a.m. As expressions of kindness, donations can be made to AMICI Camping Charity or Greenwood College School. (Funeral arrangements entrusted to the Newediuk Funeral Home, Kipling Chapel, 2104 Kipling Avenue (416) 745-7555).

We take great comfort in knowing "He did it."
Thanks for the day comrades.
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MILLER, VERA (Resident of Kennis Lake, Ontario): At the Ottawa Heart Institute in Ottawa on Wednesday afternoon, April 23, 2003, in her 79th year. Beloved wife of the late Clayton Miller. Loving mother of Gloria (Jim) Carnochan of Kennis Lake, (Betty) Elizabeth Anne (John) Obstfeld of Faulkland, B.C., and Marianne Laura (Jim) Thompson of Whitehorse, Yukon. Fondly remembered by her grandchildren Cindy (Dave Muenzel), Stephen (Julie), Michael (Elisa), Mark (Mary), Richard, Brian, Jennifer, Geoffrey and her great grandchildren Ben, Sheena, Whitney, Alexandra, Kyle, Robert, Kaitlyn, Christian, Krystle and Daniel. Predeceased by her daughter Patricia (Ralph McLaughlin) of Enniskillen. Friends called at the HALIBURTON COMMUNITY FUNERAL HOME, Hwy. #118, Haliburton, Ontario (705) 457-9209 on Sunday afternoon, from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Funeral Service in the Chapel on Monday morning, April 28, 2003 at 11 o'clock. Interment later at Pine Grove Cemetery, Prince Albert, on Tuesday afternoon, April 29, 2003 at 1 o'clock. As expressions of sympathy, donations to a charity of your choice would be appreciated by the family.

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THELMA MARGUERITE OLDRIVE
Passed away peacefully after a long illness at the Highland Crest Senior Citizens Home, Minden
on Sunday, April 20, 2003,
in her 84th year.

Beloved wife of the late James Kelland Oldrive. Dear mother of Sharyn and her husband Ian McAlpine of Minden, James and his wife Barbara of Minden, Wayne and his wife Doreen of St. Catharines, Debbie and her husband Mel Kilfoyl of Ladysmith, B.C. Loving grandmother of 8 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Dear sister of Pat Kowalchuk of London. A Memorial Service will be held at the St. Andrew's Fairhaven Apartments, 3568 Montrose Rd., Niagara Falls, Ontario on Saturday, May 3, 2003 at 2:00 p.m. Memorial donations to the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation (H.H.H.S.F.) or to the Canadian Cancer Society would be appreciated by the family and can be arranged through the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home Ltd., 127 Main St., Minden, Ontario K0M 2K0 (1-888-588-5777).

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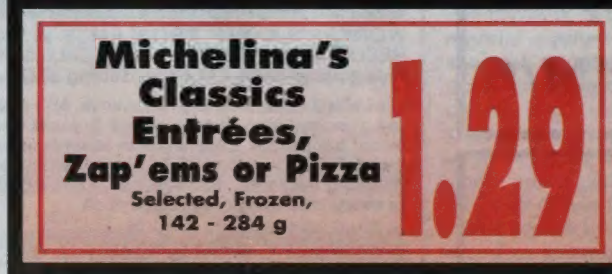
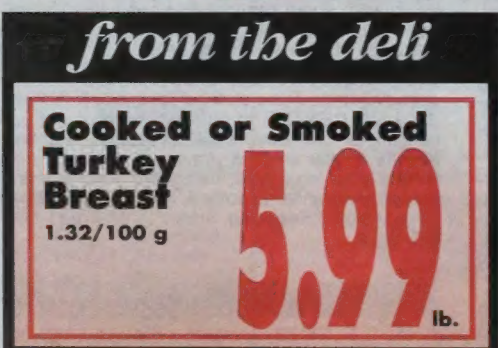
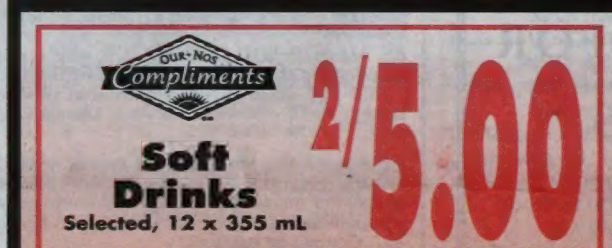
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